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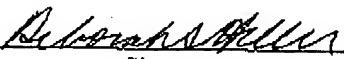
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This Amendment is in reply to the Office Action mailed July 6, 2005, in which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thereby making this response due on or before October 6, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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